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Please delete the paragraph beginning on page 18, line 8, and insert the following:



Figures 8A-8D depict an exemplary list of hardware necessary to implement the requirements of a user based on input (not shown) entered by the user into the tool.


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It is important to note that while the present invention has been described in the context of a fully functioning data processing system, those of ordinary skill in the art will appreciate that the processes of the present invention are capable of being distributed in the form of a computer readable medium of instructions and a variety of forms and that the present invention applies equally regardless of the particular type of signal bearing media actually used to carry out the distribution. Examples of computer readable media include recordable-type media, such as a floppy disk, a hard disk drive, a RAM, CD-ROMs, DVD-ROMs, and transmission-type media, such as digital and analog communications links, wired or wireless communications links using transmission forms, such as, for example, radio frequency and light wave transmissions. The computer readable media may take the form of coded formats that are decoded for actual use in a particular data processing system.

REMARKS

These amendments were made to reflect references to the figures in the formal drawings. Specifically, when formal drawings were created, Figures 8A-8D were required to reflect the content in original Figures 8A-8B in order to meet the drawing requirements. No new matter has been added by these amendments.

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